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C O N F I D E N T I A L LUSAKA 3253

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SUBJ: FINNISH CANDIDATE LEADING FOR COMMISSIONER FOR NAMIBIA

REF: USUN 5889

WHILE WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO CONFIRM A VISIT TO LUSAKA BY THE NORWEGIAN AMBASSADOR FROM DAR, VRAALSEN'S CANDIDACY FOR THE POSITION OF NAMIBIA COMMISSIONER IS KNOWN HERE. WHETHER ON THIS BUSINESS OR SOME OTHER, SEAN MACBRIDE HAS ARRIVED IN LUSAKA. WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT THE "AFRICAN CAUCUS" HAS DECIDED TO SUPPORT THE FINNISH CANDIDATE TO SUCCEED MACBRIDE THOUGH THEY WILL NOT REJECT VRAALSEN AT THIS POINT. LOW

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